

**U.S.S. JASON AR-8**  
**FLEET POST OFFICE**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 96601**

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From: Commanding Officer, USS JASON (AR-8)  
To: Director of Naval History (OP-09B9)  
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Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5720.12B of 20 May 1971.

Encl: (1) Basic History of USS JASON 1973  
(2) Documentary Annex

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosure (1) and (2) are submitted.

  
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COMSEVENTHFLT  
COMSERVPAC

Basic History of U.S.S. Jason AR-8  
for 1973

A. Command Organization

1. Commanding Officers

01 January - 18 December 1973.....Rex Gyga<sup>x</sup>, CAPT,USN  
19 December - 31 December 1973.....R.G.Tol<sup>JR</sup>g<sup>A</sup>, CAPT,USN

2. Homeport - San Diego, California

B. Summary of Operations

01 January - 26 January...Inport Sasebo, Japan  
Performing Fleet Repair Services  
under operational control of CTG 73.1  
27 January - 28 January...Enroute to Keelung, Taiwan  
For port visit  
29 January - 31 January...Inport Keelung, Taiwan  
Under operational control of CTG 72.1  
01 February - 02 February.Enroute to Sasebo, Japan  
03 February - 06 February.Inport Sasebo, Japan  
Performing Fleet Repair Services  
under operational control of CTG 73.1  
07 February - 16 February.Enroute to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii  
Returning from Deployment  
11 February.....Operational control changed to  
Third Fleet  
17 February - 20 February.Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii  
for Deployment Debriefing by  
COMSERVPAC staff  
21 February - 26 February.Enroute to San Diego, California  
27 February - 22 July.....Inport San Diego, California  
Performing Fleet Repair Services  
under operational control of CTG 56.1  
23 July - 26 July.....Enroute San Francisco, California  
27 July - 20 August.....Inport San Francisco, California  
Performing Fleet Repair Services  
21 August - 22 August.....Enroute to San Diego, California  
23 August - 30 September..Inport San Diego, California  
Performing Fleet Repair Services  
01 October - 11 November..Inport San Diego, California  
Performing Fleet Repair Services  
with concurrent Industrial availability  
12 November - 25 November.Inport San Diego, California  
Performing Fleet Repair Services

Enclosure (1)

26 November - 07 December..Commenced Refresher Training  
in San Diego, California.  
Under operational control of CTG 54.1  
08 December - 31 December..Inport San Diego, California  
Making preparations for overseas  
movement

#### Operational Commanders

CTF 73.1 - Commander, Mobile Repair Support Group  
CTF 72.1 - Commander, Taiwan Straits Patrol Group  
CTF 56.1 - Commander, Service Group One  
CTF 54.1 - Commander, Fleet Training Group, San Diego

Documentary Annex A  
REPAIR

01 January - 31 December 1973

Ships Worked . . . . . 95  
J.O. Completed . . . . . 2160

Alameda July - August 1973

Ships Worked . . . . . 14  
J.O. Completed . . . . . 522

Major Jobs:

Jason - New Laundry Installation  
New Dry Cleaning Plant Installation  
Major Renovation of Staff Spaces  
Relocation - Optical Shop  
Rebuilt Two Boilers

Tended Ships

1. Replacement of 11 terazzo decks in heads on U.S.S. TULARE
2. Rebuilding Anchor Windlass on U.S.S. COCAPA
3. Major boiler repairs on U.S.S. SACRAMENTO located in Bremerton, Washington
4. Habitability work on U.S.S. SANCTUARY
5. Main engine bearings on U.S.S. NIAGARA FALLS
6. Assistance to Hunters Point Naval Shipyard in mfr. of 100 lifting levers for U.S.S. GRIDLEY
7. Removing wire warped around shafting of U.S.S. TOLOVANA
8. Plugging of all Sea Chest of U.S.S. TICONDEROGA prior to decommissioning of ship.
9. Poured spring bearings on U.S.S. DIXIE to assist and instruct DIXIE Foundry Personnel

Type of Ships Worked:

CVA, AF, AFS, MSO, AO, AOE, DD, DLG, DE, DEG, ATF, YOG and AR

Documentary Annex Bravo  
Dental

1973 QUARTER:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOTAL
Patients Treated	587	648	532	392	2159
Treatment Procedures	1445	2300	2008	1405	7158
Prosthetic Appuances Delivered	16	12	34	16	78

Documentray Annex C.  
MEDICAL

Patient Treated: 6,102  
Laboratory Procedures: 2,197  
X-Rays Procedures: 902  
Prescriptions Dispensed: 4006  
Immunizations Procedures: Approx 6,000